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Chief Manager

SAN FRANCISCO.

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R. HORNE BOYD,

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rate being 5 per cent, per annum.

Hongkong, May 24, 1880.

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By Order, L B. FRIEND, Hon, Sec., V.R.O.

Houghong, May 22, 1880.

are requested to Furnish the Under-Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the to the 15th June next, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

General Agents, Hongkong, May 10, 1889.

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Eighth Volume of the "CHINA REVIEW."

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Translations from the Lil-II, or General Code of Laws of the Chinese Empire, Fa-Halen and His Ringlish Translators The Flower-Fairles.
Translations of Chinese School-Books. Short Notices of New Books and Literary

Notes and Queries :-Remarks on the Syllabary of the Hakka Dialect by Mr. E. H. Parker. Hakka Marriage Customs, Duodenary Cycles. Serfdom in Ancient China.

Curlous Colus. Books Wanted, Exchanges, do. Hongkong, May 17, 1880.

Intimations.

DOG LOST. ROWN and White Long-cared SPANIEL D BITCH,—Answers to the name Reward if returned to Dr. STOCKWELL

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Hongkong, May 21, 1880.

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the 29th Instant.

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The Steamship

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R. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANG-HAT, will return to Hongkong early in the Winter as usual. -

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CHAREHOLDERS in the above OFFICE signed with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December 1879, in PROFITS Received for Untributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior

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Mesars MELCHERS & Co. are our only AGENTS for Sale of the Genuine Florida Water at Hongkong. "

New York, July 9, 1878.

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Hongkong, May 27, 1880.

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Hongkong, May 19, 1880.

Hongkong, May 20, 1880.

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MARITIMES.

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NOTICE.

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Agent. Hongkong, May 25, 1880.

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To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship * Kroangtung," Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY; the lat June, at the month.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, May 29, 1880.

> SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

May 29, Thibet, British steamer, 1671 E. Ashdown, Shanghai May 26, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. May 29, Kwangtung, British steamer, 674, M. Young, Poochow May 26, Amoy

27, and Swatow 28, Tea. - Douglas La-PRAIR & Co. - May 29, Diamante, British steamer, 514, R. Cullen, Amoy May 28, General.-RUSSELL & Co.

May 29, Cheang Hock Kian, British atr. 956, Fred. Webb, Singapore May 23, General.-Bun Hin Chan. May 29. Minnie Carvill, British barque, 584, P. T. Clark, Salgon May 15, Rice .-

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. DEPARTURES. May 29, Charite, for Whampoa. 29, Scrapis, for Nagasakt. 29, Niigata Maru, for Kobe, da. 29, West Glen, for Takao. 29. Vettor Pisani, Italian corv., for

> 29, Hwai Yuen, for Canton. 29, Penedo, for Newshwang. 29. Namoa, for Coast Ports. 29. Ocean, for Swatow, do.

CLEARED. Anna Bertha, for Takag. Janet, for Whampoa. Æolus, for Ssigon, Glenorchy, for Shanghai. Nautilus, for Havre.

PASSENGERS.

ARBIVED. Per Thibet, from Shanghai: for Hongkong, Mr Jules Robert and servant, Mr Ryrie's cervant, and 24 Chinese; for Venice, Messra Geo. Smith, and C. de St. Croix ; for Southampton, Mrs Roberts, Mis Roberts, Mrs Vincent, Measrs M. F. A. Cargo will be received on board until Fraser, and N. P. Robert; for London, Mr. William Rowe.

Per Kwangtung, from Coast Ports, Mrs Per Diamante, from Amoy, Mr H. Schroeter, and 200 Chinese. Per Cheang Hock Kian, from Singapore, 389 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Niigata Maru, for Yokohama, Lieut. Bennott, Lieut. Charley, Mr and Mrs. Strone and child, 2 European women, 7 Chinese, and I Japanese steerage; for je7 Kobe, 1 European, and 10 Chinese. Per Penedo, for Newchwang, Mrs Cain.

Per Hwai Yuen, for Canton, 60 Chinese. Per Namoa, for Coast Ports, 1 European, and 200 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Thibet, from Hongkong: for Singapore, Mr W. A. Mackinnon, Deputy Surg. General, and native servant, and Sergeant J. Craig, A. H.C.; for Southampton, Mr OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING | James Mitchell.-From Yokohama: for Southampton, Mr and Mrs Rse.-From Shanghal; for Southampton, Mrs Roberts, Miss Roberts, Mrs Vincent, Messrs M. F. THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF A. Fraser, A. P. Robert, and William Rowe; for Venice, Messrs Geo. Smith, and

C. de St. Croix. Por Æolus, for Saigon, 70 Chinese, Per Glenorchy, for Shanghai, 1 European, and 2 Chinese.

Per Decima, for Saigon, 250 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Kwangtung reports: Left Ferchow on the 26th, Amoy 27th, and Swatow 28th. Experienced moderate S.W. winds and time weather throughout, Passed S. S. Albay bound into Amoy. Passed S. S. Fokien off Ree's Island bound North in Foochow: S. S. Gleneagles, Glenroy, Glenlyon, Menmuir, Killarney, Antenor, Douglas, and H.M.S. Moorhen. In Amoy :

The British steamer Diamante reports : flad light variable winds and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Cheang Hock Kian First part to 14 North calms and light

variable airs, thence to port light Southeasterly winds and fine weather. The British barque Minnie Carvill reports: Variable winds from Cape St. James to Parcels, thence to Ladrone steady breeze from S.E. and fine clear weather.

Per S. S. Belgic, salled 25th May -For Rice, 710 pkgs. Merchandice, 61 pkgs. Vermillion, 25 pkgs. Varnish, 40 slabs Tin, and 6 casks Ginseng; for Fan Francisco, 4,764 bags Rice, 138 bags Coffee, 42 bags Sugar, 48 bags Cloves, 4 pkgs. Patna Opium, 108 pkgs. Prepared Opium, 17 pkgs. Cassia, 11 pkgs. Merchandise, I pkge. Silks, 8 cases Mace, 20 cases Nutmegs, 190 Empty Quicksilver Flasks, 943 bales Gunnies, and 1 box Treasure valued at \$1,850; for Ohicago, 1,119 pkgs. Tea, and S pkgs. Merchandise; for Boston, 25 cisss Straw Hats; for New York, 5,840 pkgs. Tea, 277 bales Silk, and 13 pkgs. Silks.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close: For SWATOW AND AMOX .-

Per Chesing Hock Kian, at 0.30 p.m., on Monday, the 31st inst. For SAIGON .the 31st inst., instead of as pre-

viously notified. For MANILA.— Per Graving, at 1.30 p.m., on Monday, the flat inst. Per Diamante, at 8.80 p.m., on Monday, the 31st inst.

Per Kwangtung, at 11.80 a.m., on Tuesday, the 1st June. For JAPAN via NAGASAKI. -Per Sunda, at 11.80 a.m., on Tuesday, the lat June.

AAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKER.— British Contract Packet Thiles will be despatched on MONDAY the Slat May, with Malls to and

through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Ocylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Maits, and Gib-N.B .- This Packet carries no mails for the

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES :--ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -- Rev. W. Jenpings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain., Morning

at 8 a.m. Holy Communion on the second in use, a certain portion of the water, and fourth Sundays at the conclusion of the Parade Service. [A Voluntary Service is held in the Garrison Theatre at 7 45] into the public tanks of the city actually against which the community of Hong-to lay down in London at about the search of its own level, finding its held in the Garrison Theatre at 7 45] into the public tanks of the city actually against which the community of Hong-to lay down in London at about the search of its own level, finding its held in the Garrison Theatre at 7 45] into the public tanks of the city actually against which the community of Hong-to lay down in London at about the search of its own level, finding its held in the Garrison Theatre at 7 45].

in Chinese, 2-3 P.M. every Sunday, with the daily ration estimated by the Sur- is thus occupied with transcendental.

-Rev. Dr. Chalmers. ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH .- Rev. the month at 11 A.M. All seats free. the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, 4) as follows:—

Service, Benediction.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

West Point.

Shipping. 2 p.m. - Graving leaves for Manila. 4 p m. - Diamante leaves for Manila. 5 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports of

Call and Europe. Meeting.

5 p.m .- Meeting of the Members of the Victoria Recreation Club.

Amusement. Concort at the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

FUESDAY, June 1:-Noon.-Kwangtung leaves for Coast Ports.

WEDNESDAY, June 2:-9 p.m.—Meeting of Zetland Lodge. THURSDAY, June 3:-Goods per Glenorchy undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Monday, June 7 :-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 1 p. m. - American Mail leaves for Yoko-

hama and San Francisco. SATURDAY, June 12:-Daylight .- Claverhouse leaves for Cooktown, Sydney, &c.

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The China Mail.

HONGHONG, SATURDAY, MAY 29, 1880.

IT may be remembered that, on the 18th of November 1878, the Hon. W Keswick pressed upon the Government the necessity of obtaining a more ample supply of water for domestic purposes in lieu of wasting the public money over an unnecessary scheme of a Gaol at Per Decima, at 0.80 p.m., on Monday, during the dry season, it may not be about excreta and water-closets amounted 260,000 half chests at the same time last, triumphantly carried Mr Merry's black FOI SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOOHOW.-

chung Valley, whence, emerging again future generations as the Hennessy with the settlements for the same numinto daylight, the water will be con- Penitentiary. They were not initiated ber of days from opening of last season :--veyed by means of an open conduit by the present Governor; they might ing the eastern side of the Race Course, every Governor strains to present to For Rues's, Service 11, Evening 5. Holy Communion where it will be received by a syphon Downing Street and an admiring world; every Sunday, exc. pt the 2nd and 4th in of cast-iron pipes and be conveyed un- they might, if carried out, ring the derground across the Race Course, along death-knell of the Stonecutter's Island Military Service. Rev. C. Gilbert Booth, Queen's Road East, and other streets, Prison, upon the erection of which Sir. B.A., Military Chaplain. Parade Service into the public tanks of the city actually John. Hennessy has set his heart, and the highest districts, for the special ac- need for more water may not have rate is in shilling and pence laid down Union Church, -Morning Service, at commodation of the latter." About any peculiar interest for the present in London:-11 A.M., Afternoon, 5 r.M. - Divine Service three and a half gallons per head was Governor of Hongkong, while his mind communion on first Sunday of every month, veyor General as the product of this schemes on behalf of prison discipline; scheme; and its cost was set down in but the community who supply the C. Gilbert Booth, B.A., Seamen's Chaplain. detail as £39,085.10. The other and public funds must be conceded to have Service at 6 r.m. Morning Prayer and larger scheme known as the Low Level a small voice in their expenditure. It Holy Communion on the first Sunday in Project included the storage at Tytam of is to be hoped, therefore, that not only 283 million gallons by means of a dam, the Members of Council but the com-ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHURCH.-Rev. and the supply being led into the city munity generally will bear in mind that, Grandy, and Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. by tunnel and conduit. This scheme, in these matters at least, Sir John Pope (All Services in Chinese.) Morning it was calculated, would "yield an Hennessy is trying to govern Hongkong Prayer:—Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 average of thirteen gallons per head of upon lines different from those laid P.M. Preaching, at 6.80 P.M. Holy Com. inhabitants during the 240 days dry down by Lord Carnarvon, and directly munion, 1st Sunday in Chinese month. period of the year;" and the total at variance with the expressed wish of BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE. Service in cost of the project was shown to be his Legislative Council and the comthe German language, by Paster E. Klitzke, £122,596.14. Of the merits of these munity. every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in two projects Mr Price has written (page

Sr. Joseph's Church, Garden Road .- The most practical way to judge of the building a few tanks along the upper 8 a.m. Mass and Sermon. 6 p.m. Evening true money-value of the water to be had levels for Fire Brigade purposes - which, under the two schemes now before us, and by the way, does not seem to progress therefore the best way to test their respective merits, is not to rush at once to the lump sums shewn in the estimates, but to take the gallon and find what this measure supply for domestic purposes. will stand us at under each. The upper great fire, which prompted the erection project gives us 72 million gallons for of these tanks, took place on Christmas £39.000, the lower 283 million gallons for night 1878! £122,600, that is to say, under the first we pay 0.62 of a farthing per gallon, under the second 0.41 of a farthing, a saving of 0.11 in favour of the Low Level Project notwithstanding that its total cost is nearly three and a half times as great as that of its less pretentions competitor.

follows, on 18th November 1878 :-

Government did not wish to have that amount of money spent in the Colony on adsist that every house in this Colony must either have a privy or water closet, and we are told in this report the advantage of the Now the water supply that might be so used, the Chamber of Commerce and specially been secured and the tendency of the that might be used if the Ordinances of the forwarded to us from Hankow :--Colony requiring water closets were put in force, is it a water supply the Chinese have asked for? No. What do the Chinese themselves think of the proposal P They have told me what they think about it. asked my Honourable friend who his authority was and he mentioned the name of high authority and a trustworthy gentleman, but what do the Chinese themselves say ? They say—" Nothing alarms us more than your projects of drainage and water anpply for flushing house sewage. They are not consistent with our modes of living." And, furthermore, if the Honourable gentleman had elicited that opinion from the Chiness he might then have gone to a man like Dr Dudgeon, of Peking, who has had many years' experience of Chinese life. He last year wrote a most valuable work on the diseases of China. What does he say? A European goes into any town, the smells at once affect him; he says "this is very un- | Cheong-sow-kals ... healthy, these people must all be suffer- Nip-ka-see, ing from typhoid fever," But, adds Dr Dudgeon, a little enquiry would show him | Con-lass, that typhoid fever is very rare in Chinase towns. Why? Because, fortunately for Seang-tame,..... them, they have not made use of the system of water closets.

References were freely made, at the time the above sentences were uttered. to the inconsistencies therein displayed Niugchows, ...67,440...Tls. 28, a 52, p. pol. and the inverted reasoning exhibited; Hobers 7,630:... 22 a 27 but we do not recollect that any one Oopacks, 49,990 20 6 304. celled in question the figures given by Conaus,.....39,460... the Governor £302,000 !- as the prin- Canfass,48,290,... Stonecutter's Island. As several native cipal reason why the Home Government Seang tams, ...14,300.... residents have lately been expressing had rejected the scheme of water suptheir opinion upon the scarcity of water ply. Of course the unsavoury flourish amounts to 267,000 half-chests against as if they be to ocen standing still, and out of place to glance at the question to little or nothing; but it would be of year. The unsold stock is estimated at cap and yellow jacket to glorious victory of Water Supply in this Colony. In the greatest interest to know why Sir 112,000 half-chests. Musters offered from one of the grandest Derby fields July, 1875, a Blue Book was issued, John Pope Hennessy has neither carried from Kinking represent 110,000 haif. of modern times. It is seldom we see. entitled "The Water Supply of Hong- out the Tytam Water Scheme nor built kong," in which the modifications of the Central School, when he has had settlements for the season to date are, Gang Forward, Kaiser, Chandos, Negro, the great and costly scheme of 1873 are instructions from. H. M.'s Government in half-chests, as follows:---set out in detail by the Surveyor Gen- to do both. Will none of our Honoureral. Certain reductions and modifica- able Members do the Community a good tions upon the original echeme had turn by making inquiries concerning been formulated by Mr Price in a re- this veratious delay? The cause caunot port dated 4th March, 1874; and this assuredly be laid at the door of the report of 1875 detailed the estimates Home authorities. A feeble but transhowing how these reductions and mo- sparent endeavour was made to saddle of the present with the corresponding by the shortest of heads in one of the diffications were arrived at, which were, the Praya with a portion of the blame it may be added, the outcome of a dis- as to the detention of the Central cussion of the projects by the Legisla- School plans; but not even an attempt tive Council. These projects were two has been made to explain the Governor's in number, viz., the High Level Project action or inaction with respect to the Tyand the Low Level Project. The High tam Water Scheme. Much may be said Level Project, as Mr Price puts it, "is | why these two great public works might limited to the diversion of the Tytam not be so attractive to the present stream into a subterranean conduit lead- Head of the Executive as the building direct to the head of the Wong-net- ing of a grand Gaol to be known to

In connection with this subject, may be added that the small project for any more than anything else in the Colony-will not increase the water

THE TEA SEASON. Private advices from "Hankow, dated May 23rd, show that the Glencoe had Settlement from slumber, and the had a good start and was likely to have discharge of a lot of crackers. The time In addition to these two schemes, an the race for first place all to herself, given is that officially noted, and must estimate for the works now finished and | Leaving Hankow at 3 o'clock on the be taken as a basis for the calculation of known as the Pokfoolum Conduit also morning of the 22nd, and only stopping her passage home. I hear she is expected appears in the report alluded to; but the engines off Chinkiang for the clear. to make the run in 37 days. Her time Mr Price frankly puts it that, although | ance, she had a fine run down, doing the | last year was 394 days, and she is now the conduit would bring into town much distance to Woosung in 38 hours, as 12 or 18 inches deeper in the water, but of the water that in the rainy season against 40 last year, arriving there at 6 still abe may be able to manage it, as she Daylight .- Menmure Castle leaves for escapes by the bye-wash at the reservoir p.m. on the 23rd, and being out at sea is otherwise in good trim. She carries into the sea, it could not increase the three hours later. She was passed on the Pols. 22,767.51. The Loudown is much supply during the dry season. This 24th by the Ningpo at the Haeshan Is- fancied by many people, and is expected latter truth has been clearly verified lands. The Glencoe took a very large to run the Glencoe very close. The Glenduring the last few months. Now this cargo, as much as 4,100 tons, and her artney is fully engaged, and will follow conduit, the smallest of all the projects, freight list showed a total of £26,500, her. The Glencarn is at Kinkiang, also having been promptly sanctioned by the probably the best ever carried by a tea engaged full. The Moskowa has moved Secretary of State, was completed dur- steamer for the run. The Glencoe will up river and taken the Glencoe's berth, ing Sir Arthur Kennedy's administra- probably be in London dock in 35 days but is not yet doing anything; the tion. The larger Tytam scheme was, from leaving the river, beating her last Petersburg and Achilles are both taking owing to its cost, carefully considered year's time. If this be so she will land her in tea alongside the hulks. by the Home Authorities, and some teas in London four or five days before Teas are now coming in very freely. time elapsed before instructions were the second steamer. The Loudown The Wulsu brought up 32,000 half-che its received regarding it. We understand | Castle was not expected to leave Han- from Kinking, and the Kinng Kwan that great reductions in the estimate kow before 2 a.m. on the 26th, and the quite as much. The Fu-too and one or were obtained by curtailing the scope of Glenartney it was possible, would get two of the smaller craft have also been the project; but it has long been gener- away with her. At the latest she would busily engaged in conveying teas between ally believed that H. E. Sir John Pope get away 24 hours later. The Glensarm, the two ports. Prices are not so firm as Hennessy has received, and has had in which went up on the 22nd, to Hankow at the opening of the season. Settlehis possession for nearly two years, in- from Kiukiang where she had partly ments to date, half chests 307,462; boxes structions from Home to carry out this loaded, would be the next steamer. 2,959. Tytam Water-works project. About The only race there will therefore be in the time when this wish of H. M. Go- the "Great Ocean Tea Race," this vernment is supposed to have been con- year, will be that between the Loudown respondent wrote:

> Hankow, May 21. The first Musters of Kiukiang teas rise of ld, to 3dr on last years; but at were offered on the 13th inst., and of the close Hankow teas were being Hankow District, on the 16th idem. bought at about the same rates. The The market for the former was opened crop appears to be a very fine one, and on the 15th by a Russian firm at Tia 48 | the fear is that there will be too much per picul for one chop Pingchow, and fine tea. Teamen at the last were anfor the latter on the 16th inst., by an English boyer at Tls. 241 per picul for first orop would not be larger than last Saau-yang tes. The following are the year's, but there is little doubt that it prices per picul paid for teas from the will really be considerably, perhaps

different districts as compared with the previous year :-Hohows, 231 a.29 ... 23 a 33 Sunyauge, 23 a 28 ...19 22 a 3) ...16 2) a 221...20 24 a 301 .. 20 Young-mans,.... 19 a 221...16 Lu-lings 14 a 16 ... 184 a 14 The following teas comprise the Settlements since the opening of

markets :-

The comparison for the first six days

Kinking Tet, 75,070.

lows, in half-chests :--

queive of Kiukiang Tess) as contracted the home of old Touchstone and other

1830 1879 Decrease. along the hillsides to a point overlook- interfere with the large surplus which For England, *107,070...+152,000...44 930

115,040.... 134,800...19,760 222,110 __ 286,800 _64,690 *75,070 1-chosts Kinklangites included.

The teas bought this year are estimated

20,590 2/8 a 2/8

4,900 3,500 2 4 2/3 21,300 58,170 38,000 1/9 a 2/ 52,880 4,700 99,810 24,240 1/5 a 1/9 1/L a 1/5 222,110 103,980

The comparative exchange on London last year and this is as follows :-

Bank Bills on demand, 5/44 5/01. Oredit, 4 months' sight,.....5/68......5/28. 6 do. do.5/65/2}. The tea statistics in the above tables are made u to the evening of the

20th inst. On the day the circular is dated (21st) there were loading, -Loudown Castle £5 10/ per ton, Glenartney, Glenearn, Breconshire, Glamis Castle, Galley of Lorne, Malabar, Achilles Afghan, and Cairnsmuir. The three latter are circulated at £3 10/ and £3 per ton respectively. For Odessa the Petersburgh and Moscow are both on the berth, on private terms.

The Hankow correspondent of the Shanghai Mercury states that the departure of the Glencos was heralded by the firing of a big gun, which roused the

In a previous letter the same cor-

veyed to His Excellency, the Governor Castle and the Glenariney for second The teamen began the new season by is reported to have spoken in Council as place, unless, of course the Giencoe against keeping back their Hankow teas, and time is included; and on that, no doubt, showing the Ningchows, for which they For the Tytam Works, including the sub- there will be much interest evinced and calculated on getting high prices from sidiary water supply, £302,000 was asked. no little speculation made. We note Russian buyers. In this they were suc-I am now quoting from the Water Supply that advices received by the N. C. D. cessful, the market being opened on the Report my Honourable friend Mr Keswick News on the 23rd, "tend to indicate 15th instant, by the purchase of a Ninghad in his hands. The estimates sent home that there is an absence of that eagerness chow at Tls. 48. On the following day. amounted to over £300,000. Her Majesty's to buy tes 'at any price' which has the first Hankow tea was bought, a Lacinvariably been the case of late years; yang at Tla. 241. For the first three ditional water supply and for very good and this rejuctance on the part of days the buying was as usual almost ex-The Honourable gentleman refer- buyers, owing to unfavourable reports clusively for Russia, but as the Giencos red to the drainage of the town. Even in from England, had resulted in a reduction rapidly filled up. English buyers who one of our Ordinances, No. 8 of 1858, I find tion of about three tacks on the opening were anxious to have something in the rates, and the teamen were apparently first steamer, were obliged to come in, anxious to effect purchases even at these but the supplies of tes have been so large, prices," We append some valuable and home telegrams have been so stringwater supply would be immense owing to its statistics as to the opening of the season, ently discouraging, that by the latest utility in aweeping away the house sewage. published under the official sanction of date (21st instant), a drop of Tla 4 had

> market was downward. Generally, opening prices shewed a zious to impress upon buyers, that the

twenty per cent, larger.

THE DERBY. The few words, flashed across the electric wires on Thursday to all parts of the civilised globe, bearing the result of the one hundred and first race for the Derby, must have been especially gratifying to all true sportsmen who take any real interest in the permanent welfare of the British Turf. The great race of the year has been won by a racehorse of the very highest class, for a thorough straight-going sportsman of whom we have every reason to be proud.

It is just seven years ago since Doncaster, starting at the long odds of 45 to 1 (we had a longer shot than that about the stalwart son of Stockwell and Marigold the preceding November); shot past Kaiser and Gang Forward The total arrival of Hankow tea between the Bell and the judge's chair. chests. Stock, 84,000 half-chests. The in one race such horses as Donosster. Montargis, Andred, and Bauernfanger, but the first named was the best colt of his year, not even excepting Flageolet and the mighty Board, and second only to his slashing stable communion the peerless Marie Stuart, who beat him fairly on his merits, slithough only opening period of last sesson is as fol best Lt Legers Lever saw run for, It was two years later at Ascot, where. the sensational Derby winner, blossomed into the grandest cup horse of the time. 72.750 victor in the Goodwood and Ascot Cops. and Alexandra Plate; was sold to his present owner the Duke of West-The following figures indicate in half- minster for the unprecedented price of chests the entire business to date (in. £14,500. The harns at Eston Hall,

wells, "All heart and no peel," as poor firmities he was a most difficult animal Sir Tatton Sykes who bred the colt would insist on naming him, in spite of Mr Merry's right to a more appropriate July Stakes at Newmarket, and several specimen of turf nomenclature. his Grace's judgment was not at fault in giving even such a princely sum for Autumn Prince Soltykoff's colt was dead Mr Merry's splendid Derby winner has amiss. This year he started a great already been proved, for the hero of last Wednesday's Blue Ribbon is about the first of the mighty chestnut's progeny, and 150 guineas will readily be given

for his covering services. I could not resist the temptation of Doncaster at this particular time, when panion. the highest stud honors have been achieved in almost his first season, as I well remember having predicted to Major Barlow, who negotiated the purchase of the horse for the Duke of Westminster with Robert Peck, that the son of Stockwell would sire a Derby winner within 5 years.

A few particulars about the winner SINGAPONE only celebrates the Queen' and placed horses for this last Derby Birthday on Wednesday next, the 2nd may prove acceptable to many of your proximo. readers, who are interested in home racing, and who have not opportunities of reading up racing history.

Epsom, Wednesday May 26th, 1880. The Derby Stakes of 50 sovs. each half forfeit, for three year olds; colts 8st 10lbs; fillies 8st 5lbs; the owner of by a number of gentlemen amateurs. the second horse to receive 300 sovs. and the third 150 sovs. out of the stakes; about a mile and a half.

Or, by Doncaster out of Rouge Rose, (yellow jacket, black cap) (F. Archer) Mr C. Brewer's b. c. Robert the Devil, by Bertram out of Cast-off by Promised Land, (white body; sky blue belt and cap) (Rossiter)2

Prince Sollykoff'sch. c. Mask by Carnival out of Meteor (Pink) (T. Cannon). . 3 We have ventured, in addition to giving the pedigrees of the placed horses and registered colors of the owners, to "spot" the jockeys; but although Archer was engaged to ride Bend Or months ago it is just on the cards that Lord Falmouth might want his services for Apollo or Merry Go Round, after the first named had beaten Robert the scion of Scottish Chief out of Spinaway had polished off Mask in the Column, at the Newmarket Spring Meeting. Cannon would ride the supposed better of Blanton's pair, probably Mask, the Russian Prince having a claim on the Danebury jockey's services, and the stable "jock" Rossiter should be good

enough for the other. Bend Or, by Doncaster from Rouge Rose by Thormanby, her dam, Eller Horne, by Redshank out of Delhi by Plenipotentiary, is a light chestnut, with a flaxen mane. He stood as a two year old, 15 hands 3 inches, and was noted for his fine length, zare back and loins, muscular power in quarters. His head, neck, and shoulders a little light in his posterns, he stands | cruise to Yokohama, San Francisco, and rather coarse near hock-which however does not appear to have interfered with his Derby preparation. The above sent me six months ago by an old packets, calling at Shanghai. coadjutor, who is probably one of the best judges of a racehorse in England, and on his opinion, combined with public form, I had no hesitation in placing the actual first and second in the Derby, before the New Year, as may sporting friends in Hongkong can

were as follows: Won the Chesterfield Stakes at the July Meeting, Newmarket, over half-a-mile, beating a large field including Petal and Dora, who were second and third: won the Richmond in a common canter, Dora second, the rest nowhere; won the Prince of Wales Stakes at York, carrying 7 lbs. extra, defeating eight opponents, the best of whom were Brotherhood, Gil Blas, and Glen Ronald. At the Newmarket First October Meeting Bend Or made a terrible example of Long, Fire King, and eight others; and in the Rous Memorial on the following day he cantered away from Cannie Chiel, Dora, Mask and several others-and retired for the seafirst public appearance as a three-yearold was for the Derby, which it appears he has won handsomely, and I doubt not that he is a racehorse of the very highest class.

Robert the Devil, a bay colt by Bertram from Cast Off by Promised Land. her dam Wanona by Womersley, granddam by Hampton, great granddam Cervantes, was bred by his owner, Mr. Charles Brewer, and is described as a not on such a grand scale as either Bend Or or the luckless Beaudesert. Bergood horse in his day, and his owner Mr A. C. Barcley, had hopes of his winning Cremorne's Derby, for which throughout his racing would doubtless have a high opposite

on dit that he refused 3.069 guineas for his half share of Robert the Devil. The colt's performances as a extremely popular amongst his fellows. two-year-old were undeniable, as he beat He was stoady, shrewd and intelligent, and Dora and a large field very easily in the Rous Memorial at Goodwood, and had no difficulty in losing Nighteap and age. His melancholy and sudden cutting--Caroline in a Sweepstakes at one of the Newmarket back-end meetings. Ro- off will be deeply regretted by all who bert's first appearance this season was knew him, and public sympathy will go in the Newmarket Bisonial where with freely out towards those whom his sudden odds of 5 to 2 betted on him, he shared the fate of Blue Gown, Pavonius, and death bereaves. George Frederick in the same race. getting beat a head by Lord Falmouth's Tun following is the order of Service at St. dark Apollo who had no price in the John's Cathedral, to-morrow, let Sunday quotations; and his next show would be after Trinity :in the Derby, where he had to play second fiddle to Bend Or.

Mask, a chestnut colt by Carnival out of Meteor (The Spark's dam), was bred by his owner Prince Soltykoff, and trained in the same stable as Robert the Devil, by Charles Blanton at New- 197; Hymo, 21 (2ad tune).

equine celebrities of a byegone age, was market. Mask was a very handsome Extensive preparations are going on at pany, and commander of the Niigata-Maruto train. His performances as a two year old were satisfactory, as he won the That other races like a thorough racehorse, and when Bend Or beat him in the favorite for the Column Stakes at Newmarket Spring Meeting, but went down before another of Lord Falmouth's dark ones, Merry go Round by Scottish Chief be expected here shortly. out of Spinaway, and now we see he has got third place in the Derby, to his conjotting down these reminiscences of queror of last year, and his stable com-

AN OLD SPORTSMAN.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The next AMERICAN MAIL may be expected to arrive here on or about the 2nd June by the P. M. S. B. City of Peking, which lold San Francisco on the 4th inst.

WE would remind our readers of the Concert advertised to be given in the Concert Room, City Hall, on Monday evening, by Maestro and Madame Hirlemann, assisted

A PUBLIC auction of three valuable houses with a piece of garden ground, comprising The Duke of Westminster's ch. c. Bend | Inland Lot No. 61, at Spring Gardens, took place this afternoon, and realised the som of \$9,750. The houses are substantially built and stand in an airy situation opposite the Military Quarters in Wanchal.

A VERY handsome modelled steam-launch. built to the order of the Straits Government by the Hongkong & Whampea Dock Company, Limited, underwent a trial inst. trip in the harbour this afternoon, when a speed of 82 knots was attained. this was one and a half miles over the contract speed, the result was considered by the officials who were on board, to be highly satisfactory. We learn that the Devil in the Biennial, and the young Dock Co. are in treaty for some further contracts from the same quarter.

H. E. CHRYSLIER Callado, of the Brazilian Embassy to Chins, landed from the Vital de Oliveira yesterday, and has taken up his residence at the Hotel d' Univers. Admiral 8, da Motta, the Brezilian Ambassador, | 20 lay days, 871 cents for cargo loaded acredited to the Court at Pekin, remains on board and, it is understood, will not make an official lauding, for the present. On Wednesday next the Embassy and suite will pay a visit to Cauton, under the guidance of Mr Romano, returning in a few days. The corvette Vital de Oliveira will probably leave here in about a fortare said to be perfection, and although | night's time, when she will continue her true on his legs and feet. The only Gustemala, while the members of the Emfault in Bend Or's conformation was a bassy, on receipt of further instructions from the Brazilian Government, expected daily, will proceed northwards by one of description of the Derby winner was the usual mail steamers or other coasting

A MELAKCHOLY accident occurred vesterday during the trip of the Hongkong, Canton and Maono Co.'s steamer the Powars, resulting in the death by drowning of a promising young gentleman belonging to this Colony, -Mr Nelson Spratt, son of Mr W. B Bend Or's two-year-old performances | Spratt, of the Cosmopolitan Dock Company Mr Nelson Spratt was a passenger by the THE new Spanish steamer Jorge Juan, Powan to Canton, which left here yesterday afternoon, and was last seen about 9 p.m.

aitting in a chair on the forward deck. At Stakes at Goodwood T.Y.C. (6 furlongs) | the hour above mentioned the alarm was given,-"man overboard." Uaptain Cary ordered a life buoy to be thrown and the gig to be manned, and the Powan steamed back to about the place where the alarm was given. At that time it was not known who had fallen overboard, but, on enquiry, sing. The search with the glg, in charge of the first officer, and with the steamer was continued for over an hour, but no son with an unbeaten certificate. His aign was seen of the unfortunate young man nor any cry heard. All hope was then station .- London and China Express. given of his life being saved, and steamer proceeded up the river. On A LETTER from Madame Plicon, the mother making further lenguizles it was found that Spratt had been seen to fall from upper deck by a boy who attends the pilots, and had been looking out of the gangway at the time, He says that, in falling, the unlucky man struck one of the windows: racing like colt, full of quality, although Mr W. B. Spratt was communicated with at once on the Powan arriving here on her return trip and a chart has been forwarded to him with the place where the sad accident occurred marked on it. No doubt due race he made a good show, finishing at search will be made for the body. Deceased. Onesn's Messenger's quarters for third from his position as a partner in the Cosmopolitan Dook Company, was well known, alike on shore and amongst all officers persons visiting the port, and he was

was possessed of a business aptitude beyond

his years, being only some 28 or 24 years of

Matins :- Venite, No. 5; Pasing, No. 161 and 162 Monk: To Deum, Ouneley in D: Jubilate, No. 112 Monk; Authem, "Arise, Shine" (Dr Klyy); Hymn, No. Evensong -Palms, No. 163 and 165 Magnificat, Nunc Dimitus, Trimnell : Hymn,

the destination of the last of the Stock- two year old, but owing to certain in- Government House, Singapore, in anticipation of a visit from H.R.H. Prince Heinrich of Prussia and the probability of his taking up his residence under the gubernatorial roof during his stay there.

> THE United States corvette Swatara, Capt. Sampson, left the Singapore roads at daylight on the 17th inst., for Slam, S.igon, and the China Station, and may, therefore,

> H.M's. STRAMER Wivern, Capt. J. G. Jones, en route for this port, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 20th, and may thus be hourly expected. The Wivern is a turret ship of 2,751 tons, carries 4 heavy guns, 1,446 horsepower.

> His Imperial Russian Majesty's steamer Asia, Captain Amassoff, bearing the flag of Rear-Admiral Aslombeghoff, from Cronstadt 2nd November, left Singapore on the 2,500 tons, carries 8 guns, with a complecific. She has a splendid band which, it was hoped, would play on the Esplanade to give the Singaporeans an evening's treat. May we hope for the same here. It is a long time since we had a Band-night.

SHIPPING in Harbour of Amoy on 23nd inst :- Assens, Auguste, Bride, Friedrich, H. Bremer, Hecht, Jeddah, John Potts, Juno, Maid of Judah, Onward, Patroclus, Sheldrake, Bridger, British gunboat.

THE following charters were effected to Amoy during the fortnight ending the 25th

Menatitian, 5,400 plouls, Talwanfoo, Chefoo and back to Amoy, 25 lay days, \$2,000. Assens, 5 800 picula, Taiwanfoo, Tientsin, Newchwang and back to Amoy, 35 lay days, \$3,675.

tsin, Newchwang and back to Amoy, 30 lay days, 65 cents per picul. Friedrich, 7,800 piculs, Chefoo and back to Amoy, 25 lay days, \$2,350. Hecht, 8,000 piouls, Newchwang and back

to Amoy, 28 lay days, \$2,600. Juno, 6,000 piculs, Amoy, Tientalu, Newchwang and back, 30 lay days, \$3,350 (Charterer to pay lighterage at Taku). Bride, 8,500 plouls, Takao to Yokohama

inside and 35 cents for cargo loaded outside.

THIRTY-ONE days from the Yangtas-Kiang to London, is a very smart run home; but this is the time one of the passengers by the Glencoe (Mr Mustard) has laid down for himslf. He will land at Suez, theree take the train to Alexandria, and cross the Mediterranean by the first opportunity. thought.] Arriving in Europe, he again takes the train, and expects to be in England within the 31 days.

MR Lows, in the Nineteenth Century, refers to Lord Beaconsfield as wordy, Delphic, vulgar, pretentious, estentatious and grisyous : to his language as pompous, inflated, inane, vague, dangerous, and degrading.

It is rumoured that the Chinamon at Kobe and Osaka have lately bought a large quantity of timber, having gone up to the mountainous places at Yoshino-gori, Yamato, thus doing away with the necessity of the timber passing through hands of the merchants of Osaka. The timber is now being exported to China.

which was lately launched by Messrs Ulago. Larrinaga and Co., Barcelone, went down the Clyde on the 15th inst, for a trial of her engluss. The principal dimensions of this vessel are :- Length, 220ft.; breadth. 80fs. : depth. 18fs. She has been fitted by Mesers Rowan, of Glasgow, with engines having cylinders 29ig. and 56ip., with a stroke of Sft. The trial was in every way satisfactory, everything having worked with the greatest smoothness. The Jorge Juan is handsomely fitted up for about thirty first class bar engers, the sleeping accommodation for whom is provided for t was found that Me Spratt was amis- in large state-rooms underneath the main deck, the dining-saloon being in house on the main deck-this special arrangement having been considered necessary for the extreme heat which is generally experienced in trading in the China Seas, where this vessel is intended to take up her

> of the deeply lamented French Consul, has been received by the Lady Superioress of the Asile de la Sainte Enfance in Hongkong. Madame Plichon says: - ' i he words proneunced by His Lordship Bishop Raimondi on the occasion of the funeral of my son. which took place in the Roman Catholic. Cathedral at Hongkong, have greatly contributed to scothe the deep grief of my heart."-Catholic Register.

THE Government of Portugal is increasland are getting ready to repulse any Chinese attack. As the Vasco de Gama-is a 10 inches of iron and carrying 3 heavy have always had for Western Australia, left guns, two of which are 18-ton 4.0 pound- no room for hesitation when the opportunity ers, no Chinese power will be able to force offered of returning here, and I can assure the port, as the alphabetical gun-boats are and engineers of steamers and other not lit to act without the protection of large lind myself once more in charge of a colony Ohina, and the large Russiau fleet in a favourable future in store. month or two hence will be able to take overt action, if such a course should be deolded upon, we trust the foreign powers THE last Ceylon Observer to hand, says :having treaties with China, and extraterritorial rights consequently, will take into consideration the exact legal status under international law of the foreign trading settlements. Can Shanghal, for instance, -- which has three foreign settlements over which the Uhinese authorities have no jurisdiction whatever-be blockaded, or attacked, or occupied, or made liable to requisitions of any power at war with China? Or, can access be denied, and ingress, or egress, or communication with the outer world be forbidden by any fleet or force hastile to China-Japan

tant Mitsu Bishi Mail Steam Ship Com, post in Ceylon,

to the only daughter of Mr M. J. B. Noord hock-Hegt, one of the leading citizens-The ceremony was performed at Her Biltannio Majesty's Consulate, by Mr Consul Dohmen, and afterwards at Christ Church by the Rev. H. Champneys Irwine, the bridesmaids being the Misses Walker, Brooke, Scott, and Eckstrand. A large party assembled for breakfast at the Grand Hotel after the caremony, and when the toast "Health and Happiness to the Bride and Bridegroom" had been duly honoured

the happy couple left for Hakone.

M. NORDENSKJOLD, says the Paris letter of a contemporary, has been the here of a hundred fêtes since he came to Paris. France has never been the last to reward Verdi, with the highest rank in the Legion | service and good conduct. of Ronor : while Victor Hugo, the same held true of Alexandre Dumas pers, is in days' imprisonment with hard labour each. the lowest grade, on an equality with the and imposed on the first prisoner a fine of with a crew of 158 men, and engines of citizen who has merited well of his country \$50, in default of payment to be further for inventing a patent medicine, or acting imprisoned for a period of three months. as private secretary to a minister for six weeks. Nordenskield had to shoulder his crutch and show how fields of ice were won : at some receptions he was sorrounded with specially painted Arctic scenes, and the Po Lok Theatre, yesterday evening. with which Parisians sympathise, after the stealing therefrom the sum of 90 cents. recent winter. A fellow feeling makes us Very little evidence was taken in the 23rd for this port. The Asia is a vessel of wondrous kind. He was hall follow, well case and the further hearing was remanded met at the Geographical Society, which till Monday next, hired the summer circus to introduce the ment of 250 men, and is the new flagship of contemporary of Livingstone, and the buildthe Russian Squadron in China and the Pa- ing could not accommodate the invited. It is curious to note this proof of love for geography on the part of the Freach, who attribute much of the disasters of the lavasion to their ignorance of that science: more singular still it is the fair sex that with Mon. Bourde, the newly appointed displays most arder for the study. Mme. Nilsson was a constant auditor at all the ceremonies in honor of her countryman, for "to day, light comes from the North."

> MR F. C. Bishop, Manager of the Chartered Mercantile Bank, Singapore, has been offered a seat in the Singapore Legislative Council. Mr Bishop, says the Times, is a highly respected resident with broad, liberal and independent views, and the acceptance by him of the seat could not fail to give general satisfaction.

One of the native papers mentions that the Osaka Mint bas imported a large quantity of ailyer from China, at a cost of 1,040,000 ven. The same authority states that this Auguste, 5,000 peculs Talwanfoo, Tion- | sliver will, when coined, turn out about 5,000,000 (7) yen. Another paper informs its readors that the Mint is at present so fully employed that work commences daily at 4 a.m. and is continued until 9 p.m. The journal also states that 400,000 ounces of ailver have been purchased from an Englishman, and that it is proposed to buy 8,500,000 ounces more.

> A Japanese steamer, the Gazette hears, has in the capacity of Chanceller and Interable loss of life, including over two hundred passengers. The name of the vessel we are | Vice-Consul. not able to ascertain with any approach to is not the vessel wrecked, as was at first

A BECENT paragraph in the World refers to a gentleman who spent some time here inthe latter part of last year :--

The Courts of Law have recently been alliterative and bombastic ; to his policy as sectionally exercised as to the whereabouts of Sir Thomas Hesketh, the young Lancashire baronet who acted as Colonel Buller's galloper in the Zuiu campaign, and who soon afterwards quitted Durban, in his yacht the Lancashire Wetch, with young Mr Francis Francis of the Times as his companion, for parts unknown. I can throw some light on the subject. The Lancashire Witch left Japan soon after the new year, and crossed the Pacific to San Francisco By this time Sir Thomas Hesketh and his companion are shooting in Vancouver's Island and British Columbia, whence they return to San Francisco, and then start onthe long homeward yoyage round Cape Horn, meaning to reach England in the early part of next December.

> WE give in our fourth page to-day, the report and balance sheat of the Ozienta Bank Corporation. With reference to the same we find the following paragraph in the Economist of April 17th :-The report of the Oriental Bank Corpo-

ration is an interesting document because it shows the cost at which the company has ing this port during the tea season, has again been set in the right path, and by been instituted .by the pastor of the which it will probably before long be en- Episcopal Church. abled to regain its position as the most prosperous, as it is the largest, bank doing business with the East. It no longer holds Chilian bonds, and the South African businesss has been duly transferred to the Bank of Africa; so that it is now purely Oriental, and although a me items in the balance-sheet have been reduced, the net result has been that the bank has not only tion of certain holdings, but is enabled to must sign a declaration that the goods shippay a 4 per cent, dividendand carry forward | ped by them under cover of such permit are the board to reduce the expenses of management considerably.

SIE William Robinson has been received with great enthusiasm on his arrival in and rebuilt. Owing probably to the in-Western Austalia. He has also been giving the Colonists his reasons for preferring that Governorship on £2,500 to Singapore with and from all accounts it must be anything ing the defences of Macao, and by sea and its £8,000. He said, in reply to one of but a desirable place of residence. many addresses of welcome :---

The climate of Singapore did not suit me, Legation, is now in Hankow, presumably nall, but powerful fron-clad, plated with this, coupled with the great liking which I

> Lord Gifford, V.C., we learn on good authority, has accepted the appointment of Chief Inspector of Police in Mauritius, in the place of Col. O'Brien (late of Coylon), who returnshome, Lord thifford's marriage with Miss Street was to have taken place on the 22nd of last month, at St. Peters, Eaton Square, and they will proceed to Manritina in June. He was never offered the Colonial. Secretaryship of this Colony, as reported.

Lord Gifford is by no means pleased to have to go to Mauritius as Hoad of the Police as he was vory anxious to come to Caylon. soon as that long-pending West Indian Governorship (St. Kitta?) is provided for our Society in Yokohama has been making own Inspector-General. The arrangement gay holiday on the occasion of the marriage would then be, Mejor Tranchell or Captain of Capt. Wilson Walker, senior officer in Graham to the head of the Police in Maurithe service of the now extensive and impor- tion vice Lord Gifford promoted to a similar

Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. Ng Choy.) Saturday, May 29.

TRUSTED SERVANTS. Li Achau, butler, and Ip Aping, assistant ook, both in the employment of Mr Katz were charged with stealing two bottles of claret and four bottles of bear on the 28th

The first prisoner had been in the same employment for a period of 18 years and had been personally known to Mr Katz for the last 5 years. He bore an excellent character and was looked upon in every way as a most trustworthy man. Defendants both admitted their guilt.

Mr Wotton appared on behalf of the defaulting butler and pleaded for mitigathe brave : she has decorated him, as also tion of sentence on account of his long ness is always to be suspected. His Worship sentenced them to fourteen

> Li Shen Sen, a hawker, was charged wit! picking the pocket of a fellow hawker at

China. BHANGHAL.

(Mercury) The French corvette Champlain left this port this afternoon (May 25th) for Taku minister on board. He goes to Pekin. The British flagship Iron Duke arrived at Nagaski on the 15th instant.

The dulness of trade is an established fact, and it is of course useless to dispute it. But it is refreshing to see how goods can be got rid of on a dull market. The MR R. STELL'S Freight Circular for the sales of grey cottons in 6 days since last mail total 180,000 pieces, or at the rate of over nine millions for the year round.

(Courier.)

There being insufficient evidence to connect the bandsman who has lately been detained at the Central Station with the death of Guillermo, the Spanish Consul has had him released. The jinricsha coolie is still detained. He persistently maintains that he knows nothing about the affair.

(N. C. D. Nows.) has placed at his disposal the corvette plied. Champlain which will convey him to Taku. Thence he will embark on board the gunboat Lynz, which left here on Sunday to and family.

from Canton by the last French mail to act

Our latest information with regard to absence of suitable craft. certainty, but if we have not been misled the attack made on Mr Wills by robbers on it resembles very closely Suminoye Maru the 4th inst., is that the Ytt Hang Magi- proceeds to Takao under Charter thence to in sound. [The Suminoye Maru arrived at strate, to whom the missionary reported Yokolama, effected elsewhere. Hakodate all well on the 16th, so that she | the circumstances, went to the scene of the occurrence, and found that it had not taken | to 5 vessels, registering 4,215 tons, steamers place within the limits of his jurisdiction. He then sent word to the Magistrate at An Chih, whose duty it would be to take up the matter. When Mr Wills left his private. home for Shanghal, a native paster had | British barque Spirit of the Age, 347 himself gone to An Chib to see the Magis- to Honolulu, private.

trate, and had not yet returned. The Shen Pao of the 20th states that it | kohama, 36 cents per picul 18 lay days. hears from Peking that the negotiations | British barque Alexander Newton. between China and Germany regarding the Takao to Yokohama, 374 cents per picul, revision of the German treaty have been concluded, and several articles supplementary to that treaty have been agreed upon. One article is said to provide for the establishment at Shanghal of bonded ware-

We are informed that during the stay of H.M.'s despatch-vessel Vigilant at Tientsin, chwang 45 cents per picul 40 lay days. H.S. Li Hung-chang, the Viceroy of Chibli paid a vait in state to that vessel and had an Interview with Sir Thomas Wade and Vice-Admiral Coote, which lasted about an hour. The Viceroy was received with the honours becoming his station.

M. Blancheton, who has for many years watched the interest of France at this port in his capacity of Consul, left for Shanghai per Pekin last week, en route for Bangkok. where he will possess a somewhat larger field for the exercise of his abilities and the display of his many amiable qualities. His successor is understood to be on his

way out from Europe. A Sunday afternoon service intended for the sailors of the various vessels frequent-

The Admiral of the U.S. fleet is expected to pay a visit to Hankow in a few days. I to Yokohama, 371 cents per picul 14 lay The French Admiral made a very brief stay | days. on the occasion of his recent visit in the the following morning.

of Her Britannic Majesty here, has been issued by Mr Alabaster, informing them written off losses occurring on the realisa- that benceforth applicants for transit passes 3.1881. The recent changes have enabled bona fide their property. It remains to be seen what effect (if any) such an order will have on the peculiar branch of trade to

which the manifesto applies. The British Conculate, a substantiallooking edifice, is about to be pulled down secure nature of its foundation, the walls have cracked and opened in several places. J. Marshall, Clerk of Works to H.B.M.'s

The garzison of the city of Wuchang, opposite Hankow, has been kept in a state of much excitement during the last ten days, you that it is with very great pleasure I by the visit of a military official of high rank, now on a tour of inspection. The vessels. As troubles are thickening around for which I have never doubted there is a series of forts they occupy lies immediately opposite the settlement, and the community has thus had the benefit of all the noise the terrible "braves" have been allowed to kick up, with guns and crackers, during the inspection .- Courter Cor.

> JAPANESE ITEMS. The following are from the Japan Gazette translations from native pa-

Tamashiro Genbei, a resident of Kioto, recently found a silver mine in the Kurama mountain, and investigation shows a vield of two pounds of pure Possibly he may arrange for a transfer so silver to eighty pounds of ore. This is envivalent to about fifty-five pounds weight of silver to the ton of ore; and the sooner this mountain of wealth

Bays, there are about one hundred Ja- S. S. Dionted, Congou 51,000 lbs., S. Caper

panese fisherman. Since trouble began | 36,708 lbs., S. O. Pekoe 11,655 lbs., total between Russia and China no Chinese 99,363 lbs.; 24, S. S. Peilo, Congou 124,004 or Koreans are allowed to walk about lbs., S. Caper 102 879 bs., S. O. Pekoe after 10 p.m. without lanterns, and they are constantly subject to strict police supervision. Japanese, on the other lbs., for season 1878-79. hand, are most politely treated. This politeness towards Japanese involuntarily calls to wind a familiar and hackneyed but apposite quotation, which we commend to the attention of our Japanese friends. It is, Timeo Danaos, et dona ferentes; which we freely translate for the benefit of those unversed in the tongue of Virgil, as follows :- " I fear Russians, even when they bring presents." The moral being, fulsome kind-

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put a perfect damper on the market for the for some time past have been on such a drug. The business of the fortnight has large scale that it is not unresconable to been consequently extremely limited. With look for a pause, until a safe basis is but a handful of stock of New Patna the rate for the drug has given way, but for Old it has rallied latterly. The rate for bales Tsatlee, 20 bales Rowkong, 50 bales Benares also has declined, though the Cumchuck and Lucklow, and about 50 stock of it is moderate. The present bales of other kinds. quotations are \$642\ for New and \$642\ to \$6471 for Old Patna; \$585 to \$590 for don, 5,923 bales; t Continent, 7,024 bales;

The receipts for the month remain as picula; total, 12,247 bales; 11,912 boxes; and last noted, at 4037 chests. During the interval some 250 chests have been taken by Pierced Coccons, 2,245 bales for Europe. the local consumers, against 175 chests at the corresponding period last year. This. with the exportations, leaves the available The unusally large domand last season has supply computed at 1,600 chests, against evidently caused this article to have an 2,415 chests on a later date last year, when | enhanced value. the first receipts for June were 1,475 chests. Of Benares the present stock comprises

Mail of Monday, 81st May, says :-

Business as regards Coast charters has revived considers ly since issue of last report, there has been an active demand for tonnage to the Northern ports, and freights are firm. Home charters have continued scarce and rates are generally

Homewards, there has been nothin doing from the Philippines either to the States or to the United Kingdom, and only one settlement is reported from this port to His Excellency Monsieur A. Bourée, the London at private terms, the demand for newly appointed French Minister to Peking, tonnage for New York seems to be satisfied | For Europe, eaves this morning (25). The Admiral at present, the berth being still well sup-

Coastwise, a slightly better demand has sprung up during the last few days for steamers from Salgon to this port, but be in readiness to take him up the river to rates are ruling very low, and not more Tientsin. He is accompanied by his wife | than 14 to 15 cents per picul can be quoted for suitable steamers for the latter voyage, We hear that Mr Sherzer, who arrived and 22 to 23 cents to Saigon and back. There has seen no inquiry either for steam ers or sailing vessels to Baugkok and back. been wrecked off or on the "Rattler" roef preter at the French Consulate-General, For the Northern ports small vessels are in in the Taugaru Strait, with very consider- preceeds to Hankow in the M.M. Co.'s good demand, and rates are firm. From steamer Tibre to undertake the duties of Foochow to Australia, no settlements have taken place as yet, partly owing to the

> The British barque West Glen, 699 tons The disengaged tonnage in port amoun's

not included The following are the settlements:-British ship Oldesdale, 1843, to London,

British barque Cubs, 320, Takao to Yo-German barque Anna Bertha, 468, Takao to Yokohama and back to Hongkong via Newchwang, 60 cents per picul 45 lay days. British barque Cingales, 336, Whampoa

to Tientsin and back to Hongkong via Newchwang, 65 cents per picul, or Whampoa to Ohefoo and back to Hongkong vic New-French barque Charite, 256, Whampon

to Tientain and back to Hongkong via Newphwang, 67 cents per picul. ligitish schooner Janet, 211, Whampoa to Tientsin and back to flongkong via New

chwang, 70 cents per pionl; German barque raugh Ballaugh, 240, Whompon to Tientain and back to Hongkong via Newchwang, 712 cents per picul. German schooner Emma, 231, Whampoa to Tientsin, \$1,900 in full and Newchwang

to Bongkong, 35 cents per picul. American barque Garibaldi, 670. Naga saki to Yokohama, \$2.10 per ton of 20 owt. British ateamer Strathmore, 1383, Salgon to Hongkong, 16 cents per picul.

German steamer Bellons, 789, Saigon to Iloilo, 824 cents per picul 11 lay days. British steamer Cosan, 1034, Swatow to Newchwang and back to Swatow, 27 cents per picul, respectively via (heloo to Swatow 22 cents per picul 12 lay days. British steamer Penedo, 652, Nedchwang

British steamer Flintshire, 1235. Naga-Lynx, arriving one afternoon and leaving saki to Shaughal, \$2.50 per ton of 20 cws British steamer Serapis, 1270, Nagasaki A notification, addressed to all subjects to Hongkong, \$2.50 per ton of 20 owt.

> MESSES DEACON & Co.'s Canton Market Report, dated 28th May, says :-

In continuing our advices from the 14th instant, the date of our last printed report, there is but little of interest to comment upon, buying of tea being almost restricted to one firm, and, for nearly all classes, a ower range of price has been established. Congous .- There is very little of desirable

quality on offer, and settlements consequ

ently have been small; of these, the bul

are common, costing Tis. 125 a 14, showing no change in value. At Macao, the market is In the same quiet state as last advised. Scented Teas -In Capers, 18,000 boxes, I the quantity named below, are given the settlements of one buyer, but the securacy of this is doubtful, and the report has probably been circulated by natives with the view to encouraging intending operators; we quote a decline of Tla. 1 a 11 in all grades, but still there is a wide difference in value between buyers and mellers. Orange Pekoes can be purchased on slightly botter terms bus there is very little demand for them, and not many are offering; we give Tla 121 to 18 as the price for "short leaf," and Tis. 24 to 2 for "long leaf" description,

Scenting flower has been unprocurable ir the past ten days to a fortnight, owing to the increant rainfalls, and consequently shipments may be retarded for a time, but there is no apprehension that the crop is (Taken at Mesers Halconer & Co.'s Permits The following is a summary of the fortnight's business :---

Congon, 2,000 boxes at Tis. 12; a 23 per ploul; Scented Caper, 20,000 boxes at Tla 12 a 26 per picul; Scented Orange Pekoe, 3.800 boxes at Tls. 12s a 27 per picul. Export of the various descriptions of Teas shipped from Canton Waters, (Hongkong, Canton and Macao) to Great Britain to date :- May 17. 8, 8, Nezam, Congou-326,917 lbs., S. Caper 179,067 lbs., S. O. In Vladiwostock, a correspondent Pekoe 48 678 lbs., total 554,557 lbs.; 20.

26,795 lbs., total 253,763 lbs.-making, with previous shipments, a total for the sesson of 3,209 203 lbs., sgainst 2,913,176

SILE.-No settlements of New Silk have been announced, and pative dealers do not appear particularly auxious to commence business, the stock of New Silk in Canton is put at about 500 bales, the quality is good, but owing to the heavy rains which have f lien lately, arrivals have been coming forward in an unsaticfactorily damp state, the usual allowance of 2 lbs. extra per bale will be made with this crop's produce. The yield is likely to be about

Of Long-reels, 60 piculs of Soulam, Kowkong, and Cumohuck are said to have been bought for export to India.

Re-rech. - There is no movement to notice in these kinds, prices asked appear moderate, when compared with the closing rates The reported increase of lekin tax has of last season, but shipments to America,

Stock in Cauton is computed at 400

Export of Silk .- Export to date: - To Lonto America, 11,912 boxes; to Bombay 2,865 2 865 piculs. Of Waste, 9 234 bales, and Waste is not yet in stock, but absurdly high rates are talked of by Chinamen.

Underneath are prices asked.

QUOTATIONS. Teatlee,.....Curio, \$460 Cumchuck and Lucklow, - \$480 Re-resled Cumchuck | Best \$580 and Lucklow Cocoons Pierced, SETTLEMENTS FOR THE PORTNIGHT. 1879 80 1878-79.

nil bis. 1.200 bla. United States. &c., Re-reels, , nil bxs. 1,000 bra Bombay 60 pla. 80 bla. 80 pla. DRUGS AND SPICES.—Cassia Lignes: New

Look Poo, and Loting, is quoted at \$8.75. in mats, and \$9.00 in boxes. Bales: 500 picula. Stock : 2,600 picula. Old Season's ful Wo, is quoted \$9.15 in mats, and \$9.40 in boxes. Sales; nil. Stock; 8.000 piculs. Alum, \$1.50 a \$1.70 per picul Camphor, \$23.50 a \$23.00 per picul SUNDRIES.—Fire Crackers, 71 a 76 cents

per box for Gowqua's No. 1 geld chop; Vermilion, \$32.50 per box. Matting, Fine contract. White 4/4, 12 cents, 5/4, 13 cents, 6/4, 164 cents per yard : Red Check, 4/4, 131 cents, 5/4, 151 cents, 6/4, 18 cents; Double Extra Imperial, white 4/4, 15 cents, 5/4, 174 cents, 6/4, 204 cents, Red Check, 4/4, 162 cents, 5/4, 19 cents, 6/4, 22 cents, per yard. Cargo Ginger. in syrup (Chyloong), Stock exhausted; Young Stem, no stock. Soy: 84.10 per

LEAD. There is no demand whatever. and the nominal prices are given as \$6.95 a 87 for noft brands, and L.B., and \$7.05 \$7.10 for Hole chop and W.B., per pical OUTORBILVER has again declined in value, we quote it at \$584 a \$582 per picul.

The rate of Freight to London, is per steamer, £3.9/, and per salling vessel, 52/6 per ton of forty and fifty cubic feet

The rate of Freight to New York, per steamer, is £3.19/, and per sailing vessel. 32/8 to 34/6 per ton of 40 cubic feet. LOADING AND ON THE BERTH .-- At Whampoa, -for London .- None.

For New York -- None. At Hongkong.-For London.-Rilida Antenor, atr., Cludesdale. For New York. - Contennial, Palestine, Twilight, Wm. H. Marcy, James B. Stone. For San Francisco.—Liewellyn J. Morac.

DEPARTURES. - From Whampos - For

London, None. For New York,-None. From Hoongkong. - For London. - Diemed, str., Pairoclus, str. For New York .- None. For San Francisco.—Sumatra.

Quotations. Bosesone, May 29. OPIUM, -New Patna, cash ... \$642} New Benazes, cash, 5854 New Malwa, credit, 740/760 Allowance Taels 12. Old Maiwa, credit, -Exchange.

Bank, Wire,... Demand, ... 30 days' sight, 4 months' sight, Credits, 4 Documentary, 4 months sight, 8/10 India, Wire, demand, ... Shanghai, demand, 80 days' sight, Gold Leaf, 99; fine ... Sovereigns, ... Shares. Hongkong Bank, 56 % prem, Bales.

China Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,450 per share. North China Ins. Co., Tis. 1,075 per share. Yaugtaze Ins. Assoc., Tis. 720 per share. Chinese Ins. Co., \$297 per share, sales.

Union Ins. Soc. of C'ton, \$1,425 per share,

H. K. Fire Inc. Co., \$840 per share. China Fire Inc. Co., \$230 per share. H.K. & W. Dook Co., 52 prem. H.K. C. M. S.-boat Co., \$24 prem, sales. Shanghal Steam Navigation, Tis. 6 per s. China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tis. 100 per a. Hongkong Gas Co., \$80 per share. Hongkong Hotel Co., \$66 per share. China Sugar Refining Co., \$158 per thate, Chirese Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal

Temperature. Hongkong, May 29

THERMOMETER-9 A.M. 1 P.M... (Wet bulb) 8 A.M. 1 P.M. 80 Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night 77

WORD SQUARES. Prizes of \$15 and \$10 are offered to ladies before the Shareholders; but it will be who succeed in "squaring" the greatest number of words by the Saturday preceding Midsummer Particular attention is called to the following

Words squared with ordinary English words will receive three credits, those squared by employing words not in common use and Anglicised proper names will receive two, and those squared by using technical terms and foreign words one credit. These credits will accumulative, and successful enswers will published. No word will rank as a common English word unless it can be found in a modern English Dictionary: while at the same time it must be understood that many words to be found in modern English Dictionaries are not common

All answers should be sent to the Editor. China Mail, by noon on Saturday, and a new word will be given each week. "DIAMOND."-No correct solution has

been received. The next word to be squared is "MUFFIN."

SONGS AND SONNETS FROM THE SPANISH.

The ship-bell chimed; aghast we stood, Hand clasped in hand, with pallid face, Eye searching eye, as though each could The other's future story trace. We dared not speak; the thoughts which

With headlong speed their subtle track, Too full of woe for utterance lack. Too fast the fluttering pulses pace. One broken sob a world would speak, One sigh, the tear bedewed cheek; Lip closed on lip, breath stealing breath, Our spirits woosd their living death. Alone she stood the moon shone bright; Alone I wandered into night!

COL. AUSTIN ATTEMPTS

SUICIDE. We extract the following account from the Bombay Gazette, of a melancholy attempt at suicide by Colonel Austin, of Dave Carson's troupe, so well-known for his wonderful skill as a sharpshooter :-

A shocking and very painful affair has taken place in the English Hotel, Hornby Row. Yesterday afternoon, "Colonel Isaac Austin," a member of Dave Carson's Variety Troupe, known as the American sharpshooter, made an attempt on his life, which but for prompt medical aid, would have ended fatally. Colonel Austin, it is stated, was a man of very abstemious habits, and rarely drank spirits. Yesterday, however, he appears to have been prevailed upon to indulge in a little, which seemed to have affected him in a peculiar way. After talking with his friends downstairs, he went up to his room, between 4 and 5 o'clock, and a remark or two made by his wife, acted upon him so, that he suddenly seized a razor, unfortunately lying too conveniently near, and drew it across his throat. It was the work of a moment, and he fell heavily to the ground, off his chair, bleeding profusely. Mrs Austin rushed out calling for assistance, which luckily was at hand. Dr Tuohy, an army surgeon, lived on the premises, and instantly went up. He found that Mr Austin had drawn the razor across in an upward direction, severing a main artery, but leaving the windpips uninjured. The hemorrhage, however, was copious, and the sufferer was sinking with exhaustion from loss of blood, but every available means was resorted to in order to stop the bleeding. Dr da Cunha who resides close to the hotel was sent for, and Drs Blanc and Cody also came in soon after. The bleeding was eventually stopped, and the wound sewed up, while Mr. Austin was in an unconscious state. He recovered his senses after a time, and expressed his regret at what he had done, asked very kindly after his wife, and enquired whether he would live. With perfect quiet, and the avoidance of anything that might tend to excite him, hopes are entertained of his recovery, but he was not pronounced out of danger at 10 o'clock last night. Up to the time of this going to press he was sensible and progressing favourably. Colonel Austin is an elderly man, but of a strong constitution, wiry and muscular, and, as we have mentioned, almost a tectotaller in

ORIENTAL BANK COR-PORATION.

habits. He may therefore he able to

pull through.

Twenty-ninth Annual Report of the Court of Directors to the Proprietors:-The Directors beg to present their Twenty-ninth Annual Report, and to submit a General Statement of Affairs and Balance Sheet for the year 1879.

The Accounts made up to the 31st of December have been audited as usual and show a balance of £66,187 18s. 3d. after defraying all current expenses, and providing for all bad and doubtful debts, as well as for a deficiency of £39,094 16g 6d. in Securities Account, arising from the realization of the Chilian Bonds reported at the Meeting held in October

A dividend of 2 per cent for the halfyear ending the 30th June was paid on 1st November, absorbing £30,000 of the above sum. The Directors now propose paying a like dividend of 2 per cent for the half-year ending 31st December, making a total of 4 per cent for the year. This will leave a balance of £6,187

and Loss New Account The transfer of the South African business to the Bank of Africa, and One unlucky word in the English land of lying is in deception, not in words. A nounced at the half-yearly Meeting, guage gets mis-spelled more constantly than lie may be told by allence, by equivocation, took enems out the outs December, and used in such phrases as "net income," the aye attaching a paduliar significance to the advices received from the Bank's do. Commercial circulars constantly spell a sentence; and all these kinds of lies are Representative at Port Elizabeth report it "nett." To settle the matter, it is worse and baser by many degrees than a in the costs of Establishment. The full of the double t, which is, however, found silence instead of utterance; and, finally,

the accounts for the present year are observed that the charges for the latter half of the year now under review exhibit a decrease of upwards of £14,000 on those for the first six months.

The past year has been one of exceptional trial and difficulty for the Bank, as well as of much anxiety for the Directors; but they venture to think that the statement now laid before the Shareholders will under the circumstances be felt to be of a reassuring character, and that in view of improved condition of trade and restoration of credit, it may justify a confident expectation of renewed prosperity in the

The Directors have to announce the resignation as Members of the Board of Mr Bazett D. Colvin and Mr Duncan James Kay, and that they have filled these vacant seats by appointing Directors Mr James Fraser, formerly of Mauritius, and Mr Arthur Craigie Oliphant, late of Shanghai and Bombay, whose mercantile experience will, they believe, prove of much service to the

Sir William Baynes, Mr John Young and Mr James Campbell are Directors who retire by rotation. gentlemen being eligible offer selves, and the Directors with pleasure

recommend them for re-election. The Meeting will also have to appoint two gentlemen as Auditors for the present year. WILLIAM J. W. BAYNES,

Chairman. Threadneedle Street, 8th April, 1880.

Blst December, 1879.

LIABILITIES. To Promissory Notes in circulation not bearing Interest . Bills of Exchange in circula-2,210,463,10.2 tion not bearing Interest . Balance due to other Banks -796,226.07. . Cash deposited not bearing - 2,729,578.12.2 Cash deposited bearing Inter-- 6,252,201.00.6

Total due to the Public 12,652,229.07 Capital paid up 1,500,000.00.0 Reserved Surplus Fund - 13,672.04.5 Dividends remaining up-Balanco of Profit and Loss

after defray.

ing all cur-86,187,00.8 rent charges Due to Shareholders 1,553,230.12.8 £14,205,460.00.1

By Coin and Bullion - - - 1,849,163,04.5 Balance due 455,863.02.2 Banks - -

Promissory Notes or Bills Banks - - 199,322.04.5 Government Securities-

Consols - - 121,875.00.0 E. I. Rapos Paper and Sterling Loan - -1,279,443.02.2 Landed or other Property of the Corporation-

mises in London, India, Ceylon, Chins, Australia and Mauritius - - - 834,125.00.7 Debis secured by Landed or other Property Notes and Bills Discounted. or other Debts due to the Corporation, not included under the foregoing heads, and exclusive of Debts

Consisting of Freshold Pre-

abandoned as bad, viz.: Bill of Exchange purchased 2,911,008.15.06 Notes Discounted -8,564,195.05.10 Loans and

Advances 8,027,006.11.04

To Culrent Expenses, including Directors' and Anditors' Fees, Salaries of Managere and Establishments at Head Office and at the various Branches, Rents, Taxes, Stationery, and all other charges for the six months

ending 80th June - - - 127,767.09.0 Do. do. 81st December 113,872,14.10 , Adjustment of Securities including loss on realization Chilian Government Interim Dividend paid on

Balance as above .

£346,422,18.10 By Amount of Gross Profits for the Six Months ending 80th June, after providing for bad and doubtful debts - 181,610,17.01 Ditto, for Six Months ending 31st December - - -

WM. J. W. BAYNES,) Directora. JOHN YOUNG. A. F. BROWN. W. M. ANDERSON, Chief Manager. MACNAB, Chief Accountant. Examined and found correct :-J. R. ROBERTSON, Auditors.

cious child, reading the placerds in a public-house window. He was told "They banquet by the Geographical Society. 18s. Bd. to be carried forward to Profit | are the Conservative candidates." "And who are Billiards and Pool !" was his second

took effect on the 31st December, and any other. This is the word "net," as by the accent on a syllable by a glance of that the arrangements with the new necessary only to look at the history and lie plainly worded; so that no form of Bank are being satisfactorily carried out, stymology of the word. It is the same blinded conscience is so far sunk as that The Directors have taken thorough word as nest," and is a French form from which comforts itself for having deceived, and practical steps for effecting reduction | the Latin "nitious. There is here no trace | because the deception was by gesture or result of these Economies, which will be Spencer is no authority for the spelling of "A lie which is half the truth is over the worst of lies."

RUSSIAN CONVICTS FOR CORE." The case of the Travancore was before

SAGHALIEN. The Odessa correspondent of Times writes as follow :-

On the 14th inst. the voluntary cruiser Nimi-Norgorod left this port with 400 male and eight female convicts for island of Saghalien, or, as the Russians call it, Sakhaleen. In the afternoon a religious service was performed on board by the Archbishop of Odessa; and there were also present the Governor-General, Count Todtleben, Mr. Mittnoff, the Acting Governor of passengers and about 1,000 tons of Odessa: Evraynoff, the Chief Procurer for the District; Mr. Galkine-Vrasky, night on the 7th of March the second the Inspector-General of Prisons, who came from St. Petersburg to Odessa expressly for the occasion; and other visitors. The Archbishop made some appropriate and feeling remarks to the convicts, and they finished by singing "Long Life to the Czar." In addition to the convicts are twenty-seven women, who have been allowed to go out and join their husbands sent there last June; also the husbands of two of the abovementioned eight female convicts who have been permitted to accompany their wives, and sixty-two children. The men are in one part of the vessel, the women | the captain came on deck. No light in another, and the children in a third. was then visible. The helm was ordered They are all comfortably clad. Each to be ported first one point and aftermale convict has a comparatively light wards two points. The captain went chain descending from the waistband to below for the purpose of consulting his the ankles, the hands being quite free. charts. He came on deck again in a The coats of these men are of a stout, few minutes, and almost immediately coarse, but substantial grey serge, and saw land on the portbeam. An order in the back of each are sewn two small was then given to port again, but the pieces of diamond-shaped cloth, of red, ship struck on some sunken rocks and yellow, or black colour, according to the remained fast. Water was reported in degree of the criminal's guilt, the red the fore hold, and the vessel beginning General Statement and Balance Sheet of the | indicating the deepest. None of them | to heel over to starboard, the boats were the forehead to the nape of the neck-is till the evening, when, as she was full clean shaven. Consequently they look of water, they abandoned her. She has strange objects with their caps off, since become a total wreck, though a Both convicts and non-convicts will portion of her cargo has been saved. have the same food and the same number of meals as the Nijni-Nevgorod's ment, said that the cause of the ship's sailors; in the morning, tea, and for stranding was perfectly clear. When dinner a national soup called Stchee, the second officer saw the Santa Maria together with \$1b. of meat each on five light he reported it bearing N. 50 deg. days of the week, and peas or porridge on the two others, besides a glass of was the true bearing, and that he gave priest, a doctor, and assistants accom- however, said that according to the required by this penal colony. This is

PROFESSOR NORDENSKJÖLD'S

WELCOME HOME. The Vega entered the Sound on the 15th inst., and was received by a flotilla of flag-bedecked Danish and Swedish steamers and a salute from Kronborg. Later in the evening she arrived near Swedish Minister, with his suite, went he found a fog so thick that, according A scade. harbour, giving to and receiving from the more than half a ship's length ahead; out to her, when she anchored in the forts a Royal salute. A deputation from the Geographical Society, the Rectors of the Universities of Copenhagen and Lund, and representatives of the Copenhagen merchants went on board, the Prefect, Mayor, and several unions waiting on shore. The weather was splendid, and there was a crowd of about 20,000 persons. The whole place was covered with flags and decorations. At a later hour Professor Nordenskjöld landed, and was received by the municipal authorities. The Professor subsequently proceeded to the Royal Castle, where he had an audience of the King and Crown Prince. The city was gaily decorated with flags. A fête given by the Danish Geographical Society in honour of Professor Nordenskiold and his fellow-explorers took place on the 17th, in the great hall of the Casino. A very brilliant company asthe Peninsular and Oriental service. sembled to witness the proceedings, including the King, the Crown Prince, Prince Hans, the leaders of the Vega Exhibition, the Swedish and Italian Ministers, the Secretary to the Russian Legation, and the Rectors of the Universities of Copenhagen and Lund. A very large number of ladies were also present. After Count Holstein-Holsteinborg, the Vice-President of the Geographical Society, had addressed a few words of cordial welcome to the guests of the day, Professor Ersley, the secretary to the

institution, delivered the festal oration, dwelling upon the brilliant achievements of Professor Nordenskjold in the cause of science. Professor Nordenskjold, in 2846,422.18.10 reply, warmly thanked the society for the honour they had done him and the companions of his voyage, in thus welcoming them that day, and pointed to the brilliant part which the sons of Denmark had played in the exploration of land and Greenland, King Christian afterwards called for cheers for his dear Sweden, an appeal to which a hearty response was given. Professor Nordenskjold was subsequently entertained at a

> In abould be pointed out with continual carnestment says Ruskin, that the casence

THE LOSS OF THE "TRAVAN-

the Wreck Commissioner's Court April 12; Mr H. C. Rothery, Wreck Commissioner; Captain Pickard, R.N. Captain Forster, and Captain Beasley assessors. This was the case of a total loss of a P. and O. Company's boat. The Travancore was an iron steamship of 1,172 tons net register. She le Alexandria on the 5th of last month bound for Brindisi. She had a crew of 108 hands, and was carrying fifty-seven general cargo, chiefly cotton. At midmate came on deck, the captain having gone below at eleven. At forty minutes past twelve the Santa Maria light was one and a-half points on the port bow, the vessel steering N. 15 deg. W. by standard compass. This position was reported by the second mate to the master, who ordered the ship to be kept on the same course until the Otranto light was sighted. At 2.30 the Santa Maria light disappeared. Thereupon the second mate called the master and informed him that he thought the weather was becoming bazy. In a few minutes wear either whiskers, beard, or mousta- got out, and the passengers and mails chios, and one half of the hair on their were put on shore. The captain, offiheads-that is, in a straight line from cers, and crew remained with the ship

The Commissioner, in giving judg-W. The second officer had said this Vodka (the national spirit) daily. A it to the captain as such. The captain, pany them; and there are two hospitals practice on board his ship he supposed on board, one for men, and one for this to be the bearing by the standard women. The Nijni-Novgorod takes out, compass, and as there was on this course Illustrations of the Chinese .- Arong's too, rather a large cargo of various a westerly variation of ten and a devia- Photographic Studio, 8, Queen's goods, and especially of seeds, flour, and tion of eight points, the true bearing Road. agricultural and other instruments most was N. 68 deg. W., and accordingly he General Outfitter, Hosier, Tailor, Albien, s.s. ordered the vessel to be kept on her &c.-T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47, the second time the Russian Government course. Now, if the ship was placed N. Queen's Road, by special appointment Anna Sieben sends convicts across the sea. The first 50 deg. W. and a course laid N. 15 deg. to H.E. the Governor. voyage was performed by the same ship W., it would take the ship ashore at Chronometers, Watches, Jewellery, to the same place last year-also from Castro, or a little south of it. The Maps and Charts.-G. FALCONER & Co., this port—in fifty-two days; but it was casualty arose from a mistake be- Queen's Road Central. commenced in June, consequently she tween the master and second mate, had to encounter great heat in the Red the master supposing the bearing was Books, &c.-LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Sea. As she starts on her voyage given by the standard compass, the mate now nearly three months earlier, it is having reduced it to the true bearing. and specially selected Cigars .- MAChoped that this inconvenience will be If the vessel was really where the Ewen, FRICKEL & Co. It may be added that there master thought she was, there was no are no political prisoners among these harm in the course pursued provided the prints, &c., choice Tobacco and Cigars. City of Mancheter I weather kept clear. The Court was of opinion, however, that as the second Queen's Road. officer had only joined at Bombay, and it was his first voyage with the captain, lars, Optical Instruments, Mordan's Conqueror and he was not a person to inspire much | Pencil-cases, &c. JOHN NOBLE, agent confidence in his skill and ability, the for Negretti & Zambra. master was not justified in remaining Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Ammunition, Corer to the look-out man, he could not see he could not see the shore, fifty vards off. The vessel was then going full. speed, or about eleven knots. The master continued at full speed without troubling to take a cast of the lead, and for this he was much to blame. ship ought not to have kept on her course, and her speed ought to have been slackened. Both the master and second officer were in default, the master for having left the sole control of the ship to an inexperienced officer, and because he did not come on deck when the Santa Maria light was re-

> A TEMPERANCE paper advises people to drink spirituous liquors only in such months as have Win them. In such a case. a spelling reform would at once in set, and we should see Januwary, Februwary, Jowne, Jowly, Awgust, Octowber, Nowvernber, and so on, come into general use.

ported, and because, when he did

come on deck, he did not slacken speed

or take a cast of the lead. The second

the bearings of the light as true, con-

trary to the custom which prevails in

and, as the Court believed, on all other

lines. By his conduct he had certainly

misled the master and conduced to the

cosualty. Seeing that a very valuable

vessel had been lost and the lives of all

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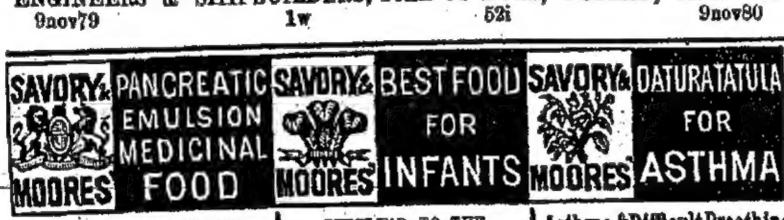


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7	Mutton Chop, , , ,	170 160	羊牌骨	Papaw, catty	25 —	本丛
	" Leg,	170 160	羊肌	Pine-apples, each	80 —	沙羅
	, Shoulder,	130 120	羊手	Plantains, common . satty	20	· ·
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K	, Feet,	100 90 -	猪脚	Plums,	40 35	沙香蕉
-	, Fry,	110 100	猪雞	y Yellow,	50 40	紅梅
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	11 Liver, 1b.	120 110	猪肝	Peach, Bitter,	50 40	雪梨
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	, Fat or Lard,	140 130	猪跳	the second of the second		萬魯木瓜
	Sheeps' Head, and Feet, not	100 90	猪油 茶丽咖	Rose Apples, catty	80 60	葡萄
		420 400	羊頭脚	Salisbury Seeds, Pak-kwo, catty	70 50	白菓
,	Heart, each	55 50	羊心	Strawberry, Chinese	80 —	楊梅
	, Kidneys,	80 70	羊腰	Tamarinde, catty	60 50	酸子
,	in Liver, lb.	140 130	羊肝	Raisins, Muscatel, bottle	600 500	珠提乾
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